

Kentucky Artisan Center at Berea

ARTS / EVENTS CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2019 DEMONSTRATIONS & MORE!

CENTER HOURS: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. ARTISAN CAFÉ: 9:00 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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LOBBY EXHIBIT

“PASS IT ON: Exhibit of Works by Learnshop Instructors”

Now through Oct. 31, 2019

The Kentucky Artisan Center showcases the works of over 50 Learnshop Instructors in the exhibit “Pass it On” in the Center’s lobby now showing through Oct. 31, 2019. Berea’s July Festival of Learnshops offered over 160 workshops by outstanding professional artists, musicians, writers and craftspeople.

This exhibit includes a wide variety of mediums and techniques from painting to furniture, sculpture and jewelry. Viewers can see the wide array of talent these Learnshop instructors are passing on to their students.



Photos, left to right: “Red Maple Burl Vase” by Robert Bagley; “Queen of Hearts Secret Garden” by M. Tinnell; “Floating Blooms” by Amy Lewis; “Appalachian Spring” polymer clay necklace by James Rich and Diana Smith-Thomas.

GALLERY EXHIBITION

“At Home in Kentucky”

Now through Oct. 6, 2019

This exhibit features quilts by Kentucky Quilters Janet Serrenho, Brenda Plaster and Glenna Blakely along with an array of furniture including rockers, end tables, music stands, tables, chairs and stools by Mike and Kelly Angle of *Red Dog Chairs*. Also featured are sculptures by Lavon Van Williams and paintings by Felipe Molina.



Photos, left to right: A view of the exhibit; *Small Figures Sculpted* by Lavon Williams

“The Art of the Book: 45 Years of Larkspur Press”

Oct. 13 – Nov. 24, 2019

Celebrating 45 years of Larkspur Press owned and operated by artist Gray Zeitz, this exhibit features hand letterpress printed broadside poems with illustrations, an array of books by Larkspur Press, and wood engravings by numerous artist who create the illustrations for publications by Larkspur Press. The exhibit will also include a biography of artist Zeitz, a video produced by CBS Sunday Morning about Larkspur Press, various tools, metal type, wood blocks and information about the letterpress process.



Photos, left to right: Gray Zeitz printing;; books by Larkspur Press; Gray Zeitz setting metal type in the type stick

DEMONSTRATIONS – EVENTS

OCTOBER DEMONSTRATIONS

Oct. 5 – Saturday

Pastel Painting Demonstrated by Diana Colgate

On Saturday, Oct. 5, Diana Colgate, of Shepherdsville, will demonstrate her pastel painting techniques from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Kentucky Artisan Center. Colgate paints landscapes in brilliant color often creating works on site.



“Fall Flair” pastel painting by Diana Colgate

Oct.12 – Saturday

Painted Gourds Demonstrated by Donna Smith

Gourd artist Donna Smith will demonstrate her painting techniques on Saturday, Oct. 12, from 10:30 to 3:30 at the Kentucky Artisan Center. Smith’s husband Donnie cuts lids and openings into their gourds and Donna embellishes the surface with acrylic paint and stains.



“Trio of Cats” by Donna and Donnie Smith

Oct. 19– Saturday

Berea Welcome Center Carvers at Kentucky Artisan Center

Two members of the Berea Welcome Center Carvers will demonstrate a variety of woodcarving styles and techniques on Saturday, Oct. 19, from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Kentucky Artisan Center. Carving that day will be John Lister and Will Bondurant.



John Lister carves a bowl with a chisel

Oct. 26 – Saturday

Mary Ann Woolery Bussey Demonstrates Eco Dyed Silk

On Saturday, Oct. 26, Mary Ann Woolery-Bussey will demonstrate her Eco-Dye techniques to create images from leaves and flowers onto silk from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Center.



“Blue Fall” silk Eco-dyed scarf by Mary Ann Woolery-Bussey

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